

BEFORE THE GEORGIA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Georgia Power Company
Docket No. 44280**

**BASIS FOR THE ASSERTION THAT THE
INFORMATION SUBMITTED IS A TRADE SECRET**

As part of Georgia Power Company's ("Georgia Power" or the "Company") Request for Approval of its Nuclear Upgrades (NU-1) Tariff in Docket No. 44280, Georgia Power submits to the Georgia Public Service Commission ("Commission") a non-public, confidential customer agreement (the "Information"). All such Information constitutes trade secret information of the Southern Company, Georgia Power, and its affiliates, and is therefore protected from public disclosure under Commission Rule 515-3-1-.11.

The Information derives economic value from not being generally known to, and not being readily ascertainable by proper means by, other persons who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use. Specifically, the Information contains confidential contract terms and information specific to the nuclear upgrades. Disclosure of the Information would seriously harm the Company's ability to negotiate favorable and constructive terms with other potential customers. If the Information was revealed to the public, customers and competitors could use the Information in contract negotiations to obtain favorable terms to the detriment of other customers and the Company. This would ultimately result in rates and terms that are less economic for all customers. Customers and competitors are not required to disclose similar information and to require Georgia Power to do so would put it at an economic disadvantage.

In addition, the Information is subject to non-disclosure agreements between Georgia Power and the contracting customer, and Georgia Power is obligated to abide by the terms of such agreements.

The Information is subject to substantial procedures to maintain its secrecy. Only select Georgia Power and Southern Company Services personnel are granted access to the Information. Those personnel receive access only on a "need to know" basis.

A. Wilson Mallard, first being duly sworn, deposes and states that he has reviewed the attached document and that the information included in such document is accurate to the best of his knowledge and that the specific information designated as trade secret constitute trade secrets in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 10-1-761.



A. Wilson Mallard
Renewable Development Director
Georgia Power Company

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September, 2026.



Notary Public

My Commission expires:

9/25/29

